

August 28, 1913.

The Board this day met in the office of the Treasury Department, there being present the Governor, Comptroller and Treasurer.

The question of the installation of new pumps at the heating plant made necessary by the additional heating for the Annapolis Armory, was taken up and, upon motion the bid of Charles Howard, of Annapolis, for \$629.00 was unanimously accepted, the work to be done under the supervision of the State's Chief Engineer, and to be in accordance with his specifications and bid filed with the Board.

The petition of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Company, accompanied by plans and specifications to construct a bridge across the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal, and the Potomac River, having been referred to the Attorney General and upon his certification that they were in proper legal form, the said plans and specifications were approved by the Board of Public Works, and the prayer of the petitioner was granted.

The Secretary was authorized and directed to collect the bills for rent of the several offices in the Union Trust Building, which are in arrears, so far as possible and when his efforts have become exhausted to certify the amount of deficit to the Comptroller who is authorized to pay the same.

Ordered that the Comptroller pay the rent of the State offices in the Garrett Building when and as the same may be due under the terms of the lease.

The letter of the Financial World was brought to the attention of the Board.

Ordered that the State Board of Health be allowed \$1,500. per annum, from the rent fund, to pay on account of its rent of \$125 per month, upon the approval of the Board or its Secretary to such person or corporation from whom they may rent.

The Secretary was instructed to write to Chairman Weller of the State Road Commission regarding the \$400,000. due that Commission and to advise him that the balance of the bonds would be sold on October 2, 1913. Also to write the Armory Commission that the deeds of the property whereon the buildings stand must be in the name of the State.

Charles W. Pope, of Talbot County, was appointed a Deputy Commander in the State Fishery Force, in charge of the local boat for the Tred-Avon River, and the Governor was requested to so commission him from September 1, 1913 to March 15, 1914.

The Board considered the advisability of re-advertising the State of Maryland bonds which were offered for sale on July 1, 1913, and un-sold, as authorized by a resolution of the Board passed on May 16, 1913. It was deemed advisable to re-advertise and Treasurer Vandiver offered the following resolution:

Ordered: That the following bonds of the State of Maryland, amounting to \$1,174,000. be advertised for sale on October 2, 1913 at the office of the State Treasurer in the City of Annapolis, and that the rate of interest on said bonds be fixed at four (4) per centum per annum; that said advertisement be inserted twice a week for four successive weeks in the "Bond Buyer" of New York City, the first advertisement to appear on September 3, 1913, the said bonds being:

Series E, balance,	\$4,000.00	
" F, balance,	100,000.00	
" G, balance,	<u>170,000.00</u>	\$274,000.00
The Consolidated Loan of 1913,		200,000.00
The Second Insane Hospital Loan,		400,000.00
The Maryland State Normal School Loan,		<u>300,000.00</u>
		\$1,174,000.00

which resolution being seconded by Comptroller Harrington, was unanimously adopted.

It was further ordered by the Board that the call for Maryland 3's due January 1, 1914, be inserted twice a week for three successive weeks in the "Sun", "American" and "News" of Baltimore City.

It was also ordered that the advertisement required by Chap. 477 of 1912, relating to the refunding and extension of so much of the State's debt maturing January 1, 1914, known as "The Consolidated Loan of 1899" be duly prepared and inserted in accordance with the provisions of the said Act; that the rate of in-

terest fixed for the returning and extension thereof be 4% and that such certificates of indebtedness be registered and not coupon bonds.

The Board proceeded to open bids for the State printing for the General Assembly of 1914 and the following bids were so opened and tabulated:

Baltimore City Printing & Binding Co.,	\$20,500.00
King Brothers,	12,900.00
Thomas and Evans Printing Co.,	12,720.00
Geo. W. King Printing Co.,	16,500.00
Myer & Thalheimer Co.,	13,000.00
Dulany-Varney Co.,	17,000.00
Industrial Printing Co.,	14,200.00
Fleet-McGinley Co.,	21,000.00

The above bids were made pursuant to the following advertisement, to-wit:

Proposals for State Printing.

Under and by virtue of authority contained in Article 78 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland the Board of Public Works will receive sealed proposals or bids, based upon and in accordance with specifications to be furnished to all who may apply for the same, for the State Printing for the General Assembly of Maryland at their next ensuing session, and that on Thursday, the 28th day of August, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, said sealed proposals or bids, based upon the specifications aforesaid will be opened in the presence of the bidders at the State Treasurer's Office, in the city of Annapolis, Md., and will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder who shall have filed with his bid a satisfactory bond.

Each bid must be made in accordance with the specifications to be furnished by this Board and accompanied with a bond to the State of Maryland in the penalty of \$30,000, with two or more securities conditioned for the due, prompt and faithful compliance with the contract to be entered into, if such bid shall be accepted.

Parties desiring to bid for the printing may obtain the specifications and a blank form of bond by applying to the Gov-

ernor's office, The Garrett Building, Baltimore, Md. No bid will be considered in excess of \$22,000.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bidders will indorse on the back of the envelope "Proposals for State Printing."

By order of the Board of Public Works.

P. L. Goldsborough, Governor,

Emerson C. Harrington, Comptroller,

Murray Vandiver, Treasurer.

and based upon the following specifications, to-wit:

The printing for the General Assembly of Maryland, Session of 1914, as authorized by Article 78 of the Code of Public General Laws shall be as follows:

Four thousand copies of the Governor's message in English.

Five hundred copies of the Governor's message in German.

Three thousand copies of the reports of the Comptroller of the Treasury.

One thousand copies of the reports of the State Treasurer.

One thousand copies of the reports of the Adjutant General.

One thousand copies of the Mine Inspector's Report of Allegany County.

Two thousand copies of the school reports.

One thousand copies of the reports of the Insurance Commissioner.

One thousand copies of the reports of the Commissioner of the Land Office.

Two thousand copies of the reports of the State Board of Health.

Two thousand copies of the reports of the Chief of the Bureau of Statistics and Information, one thousand of which shall be distributed by the printer to the labor organizations of the State.

One thousand copies of the report of the State Fish Commissioners.

And all the aforesaid shall be printed and bound in paper and the printer shall send to the Librarian to be bound five hundred copies of each of the reports in the manner said reports have heretofore been bound.

One thousand copies of the daily Journal of the Senate.

One thousand copies of the daily journal of the House of delegates.

Five hundred of each of which shall be revised and corrected and printed in proper form for binding.

Three hundred copies of each and every bill including general and local bills introduced in the Senate.

Three hundred copies of each and every bill including general and local bills introduced in the House.

Two thousand yeas and nays for the use of the House of Delegates.

Two thousand yeas and nays for the use of the Senate.

Two hundred copies of the rules and orders for the use of the Senate. Including parliamentary law and usage and practice of the Senate, as now appended to the present rules of the Senate.

The above rules and orders to be printed and bound in paper.

Two hundred copies of the rules and orders for the use of the House of Delegates.

Four hundred copies of the list of members of both houses.

Two hundred lists of Senate Committees for the use of the Senate.

Three hundred lists of the House Committees for the use of the House of delegates.

Fifteen hundred copies of the Acts and Resolutions which may be passed by the Senate and House of Delegates at the said ensuing session, to be bound in law sheep.

All the reports hereinbefore enumerated and the rules and orders hereinbefore referred to shall be printed on rag stock paper, and the copies of the Acts and Resolutions shall also be printed on rag stock paper, with marginal notes, and the Governor's Message, the report of the Comptroller of the Treasury, the State Treasurer's report, the report of the Adjutant General, the State School Report, the report of the Insurance Commissioner, the report of the State Board of Health and the report of the State Fish Commissioner shall also be printed on rag stock paper, twenty four inches by thirty-eight inches, fifty pounds to the ream, sized and calendared, the size of the pages to be regular octavo, and the type used shall be long primer for the body of all the various reports and brevier for the tabular statements; the Acts and Resolutions shall be printed in small pica type; and the bills for

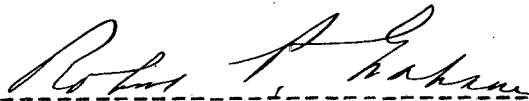
each house shall be printed and returned within thirty-six hours after the receipt of the same by said printer; and the journals for each house, for each day printed by said printer, shall also be delivered within twenty-four hours from the receipt of the same by the printer. Said bills shall also include all other matters not hereinbefore specified at the prices hereinafter enumerated which may be ordered to be printed by the General Assembly, or either house thereof, at said ensuing session and which bids shall stipulate for doing the work so bid for in a good and workmanlike manner; and all printing not enumerated shall be in usual octavo or bill folio pages, as the General Assembly or either house thereof may expressly order, and shall be paid for, whether plain or tabulated, at the price of one dollar and fifty cents per page, octavo, per thousand, long primer type, and two dollars and fifty cents per page, bill folio, for the first thousand copies printed of either, and at the rate of thirty-three per cent less for each additional thousand copies; but no printing not hereinbefore enumerated shall be paid for unless upon an order stating the cost of the same and passed by a ye and nay vote of either the Senate or House.

The Board of Public Works will not consider any bids which shall be for a greater amount than twenty-two thousand dollars.

After considering the above bids the Board passed the following resolution:

Resolved, that the bid of Thomas & Evans Printing Company, in amount \$12,720.00 being the lowest of such bids, the same is hereby accepted.

The Board thereupon, on motion, duly seconded and passed, adjourned.



Secretary.

